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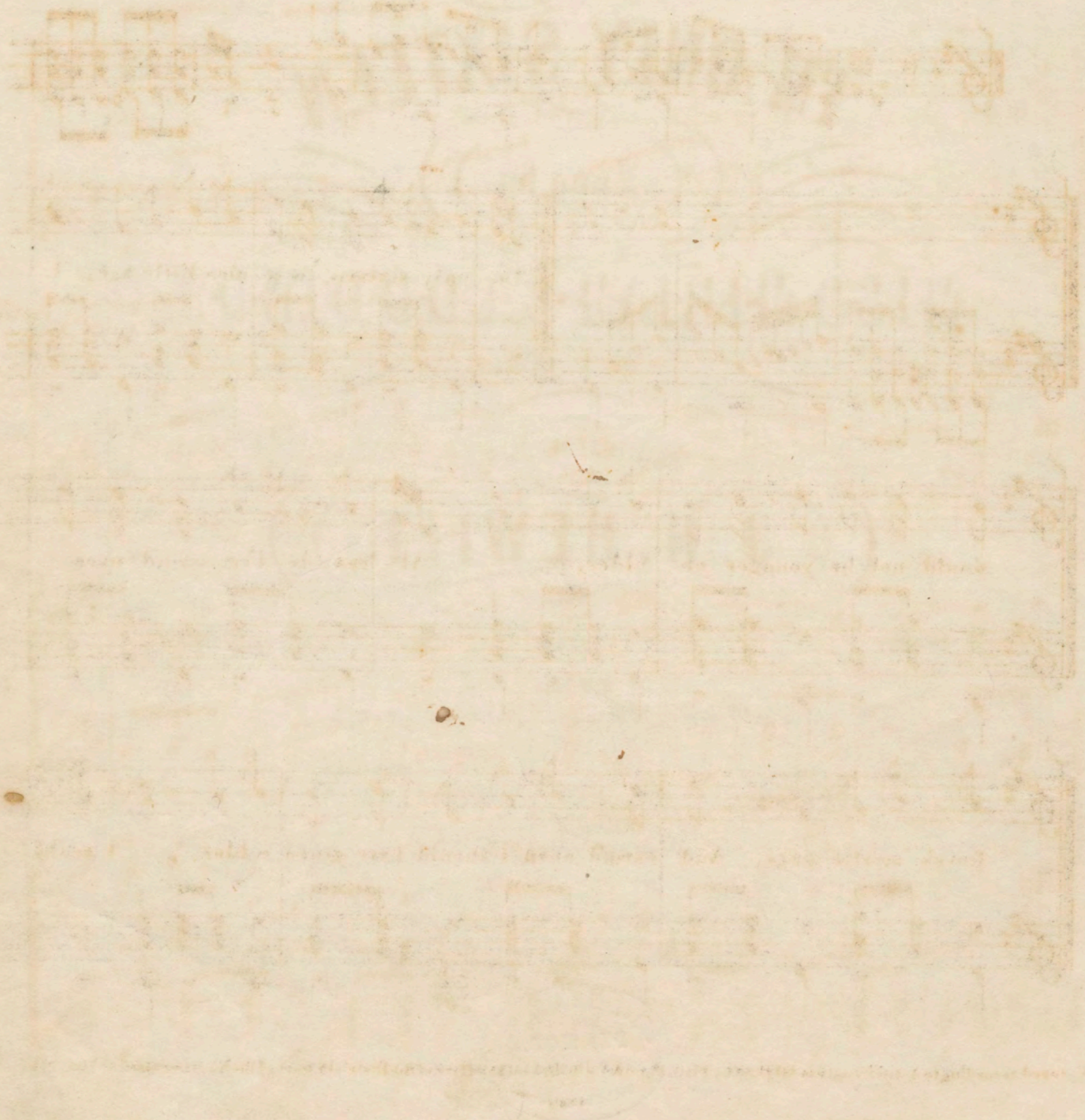

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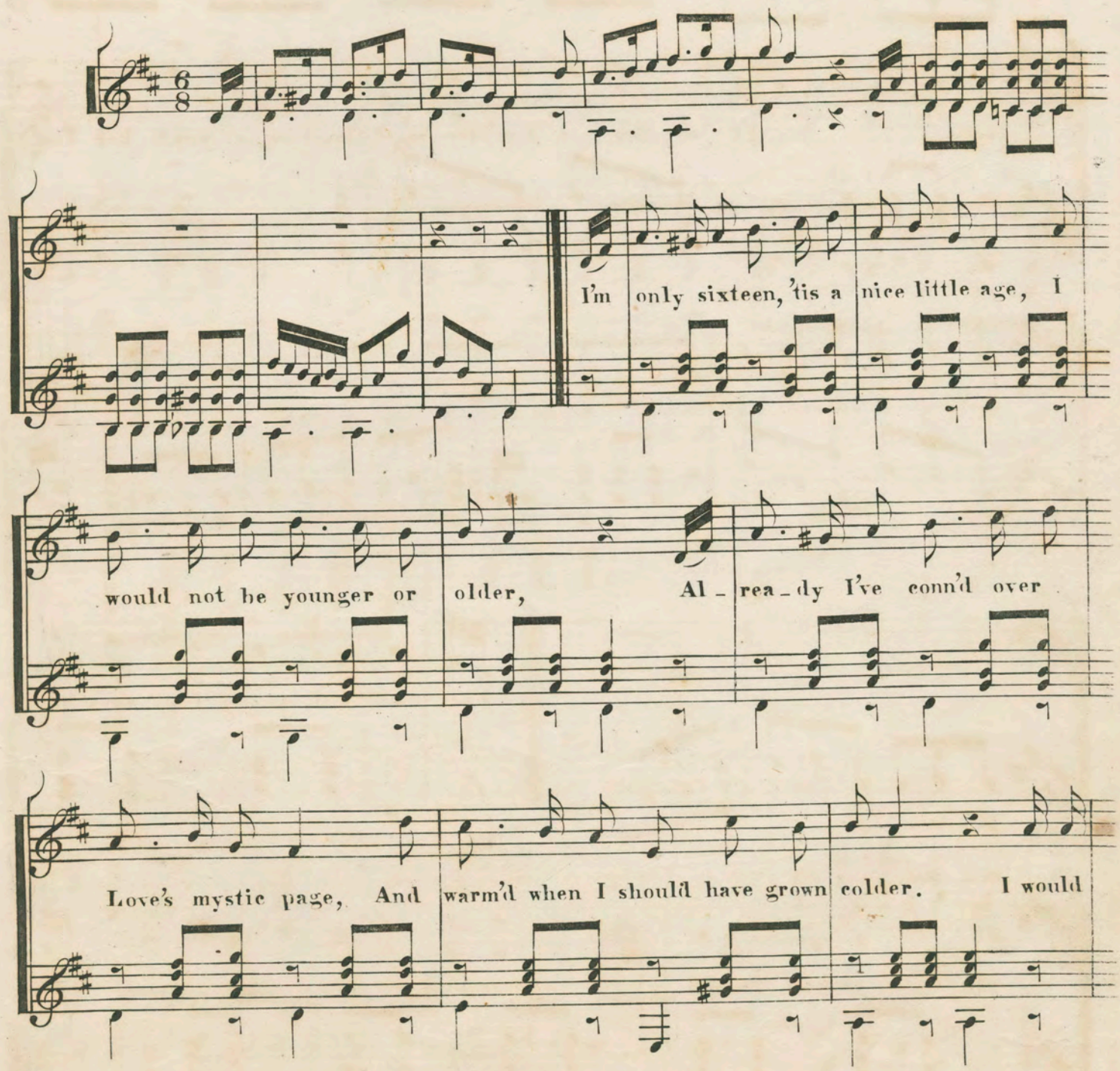
I'm only sixteen, 'tis a nice little age, I
would not be younger or older, Al - rea - dy I've conn'd over
Love's mystic page, And warm'd when I should have grown colder. I would

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like to be married, But wedlock, they say, Has troubles which I've never

seen, ... So, I'd ra-ther not bar-ter my freedom a-way, For I've

only just enter'd six-teen.....

I hate an old maid — yet I

I've done with young fops they are

dont wish to wed Un-til I have jilt-ed my dozens; And the

playthings at best, And please while around you they flutter; The

beaux who had been by my glances mis-led, I'd give to my young country

schoolgirls are getting to be quite a pest, And I warm-ly de-test bread and

cousins. Make hay while the sun shines, so wise-ly they say, Mine's

butter. I can smile on a man if he's not quite too old, Has

bright, and my pas-ture is green; ..... I'll think of No--vember though

whiskers is no-ble in mien; ..... And I would not ob-ject to the

blooming in May, For I've on-ly just en-terd six-teen.....

music of gold, For I've on-ly just enter'd six-teen.....

Quidor Eng.ᵛʳ